

GOLF BALL COVER COMPOSITIONS AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

ABSTRACT

The present invention is directed to a golf ball and to a process for forming a golf
5 ball having at least one layer, where the layer is formed of a polymer blend comprising an
oxa ester or a saponified polymer/oxa ester blend, having from about 65 to about 99 parts of
at least one saponified polymer and from about 35 to 1 parts of at least one oxa ester, based
on 100 parts by weight of the saponified polymer/oxa ester blend. The layer may be foamed
or unfoamed, and may form at least a portion of any of the cover, the core, or a mantle layer
10 situated between the cover and the core.

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